

FRANCE WILL ACT TO PREVENT INROADS BY NAZIS IN MOROCCO

Commander of Foreign Legion Ordered to Muster Battalions

FRANCE TO BE ON ALERT

Naval Maneuvers to Be Staged in Close Proximity to Spanish Waters

By Lindsey Parrott
I. N. S. Staff Correspondent

PARIS, Jan. 9—(INS)—The commander of the French Foreign Legion at Fez today was instructed to muster his battalions "in readiness for an emergency" as France warned Germany, through the Rebel Spanish Government, that German inroads in Spanish Morocco "would not be tolerated."

Word that Germany has stationed more than 3,000 soldiers in Northwest Africa brought a speedy conference between the French Army and Navy high commands, resulting in a decision not only to place the Foreign Legion on the alert, but to keep French naval maneuvers in mid-January in close proximity to Spanish waters.

Edouard Daladier, French minister for defense, it was announced, will make a "tour of inspection" of French defenses in Morocco starting Jan. 15. Defense experts will accompany him.

"Our whole colonial empire is at stake in Spanish Morocco," the Foreign Office said. "We are ready to take any measures to force foreigners out of Spanish Morocco."

German troops already in Morocco, a note of protest to the rebel Spanish Junta of Generalissimo Francisco Franco indicated, were sent there to prepare barracks for much larger forces.

Powerful fortifications, according to information here, are being built at Ceuta, making that port a rival to Britain's Gibraltar, across the Straits.

These fortifications, it was said, extend far beyond the existing Spanish fortress and include installation of several 155 millimeter guns.

Increased fortification of Ceuta and landing of foreign troops there violate three treaties, Germany was informed by France through Gen. Franco. The treaties are the Franco-British treaty of 1904, recognized by Britain, the Franco-Spanish treaty of 1912, and the treaty of Versailles.

Two thousand Germans, reports said, have disembarked at Ceuta, 500 at Melilla, where the Spanish rebellion first broke out last July, and 600 at Larache, all within the last 10 days. Preparations are being speeded to receive more Germans.

The Reich is also making commercial, industrial and political inroads in Morocco, according to French information. Finances of the Colonial administration have been taken over almost wholly by the Germans, and the Germans are now said to be operating Riffian mines.

George M. Hoke, Yardley, Dies in Abington Hospital

YARDLEY, Jan. 9—Funeral services for George M. Hoke, 68, who died yesterday morning in the Abington Hospital, after a lengthy illness, will be held Monday afternoon at 10 o'clock at the Brown funeral home, Newtown.

Mr. Hoke, who was born in Latrobe, was the son of the late Lewis M. and Laura M. Hoke, and spent most of his life in the service of the Westinghouse Company, at Pittsburgh. Moving to Yardley about eight years ago, Mr. and Mrs. Hoke made their home with two nephews, Edward E. and George Garlits, and a niece, Betty Jean Garlits, River Mawr, and it was not until about a month ago that he was confined to his bed by illness.

In addition to his widow, Mrs. Grace Hoke, he is survived by his mother, Mrs. Laura M. Hoke, and a sister, Mrs. Emily Kelly, both of Latrobe.

YARDLEY

Jesse H. Harper, who has been confined to her home for a few days with grippe, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. David Barbour left on Sunday for St. Petersburg, Fla., where they will spend the winter, returning in May. Mrs. Barbour's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. George Harris, will occupy the Barbour home while they are away.

Mrs. Albert Nelson left on Sunday for Spartansburg, S. C., where she is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. John Harris, who is ill.

Miss N. Agnes Kelly, of Nutley, N. J., has returned to Nutley after spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William B. Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew S. Bennett entertained at a family dinner this week, with covers laid for: Mr. and Mrs. William S. White and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Harry White and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin White and daughters, Dolington; Mr. and Mrs. William Kelly and sons, Mrs. Martha White, Mr. and Mrs. Bennett and children.

Howard Gallagher is confined to his home by illness.

Several Weeks' Illness Fatal to Mrs. Giberson

TULLYTOWN, Jan. 9—Mrs. Mary A. Giberson, wife of Milford D. Giberson, died yesterday after being confined to the Harriman Hospital, for several weeks. The deceased, who had resided in this borough for the past 11 years, is survived by four daughters and two sons.

The Rev. William Young, pastor of Tullytown Christian Church, will be in charge of the funeral service on Monday at 1:30 p.m. from her late residence, Main street. Interment in Brotherhood Cemetery, Mt. Holly, N. J., will be under direction of George Molden, funeral director. Friends may all Sunday evening.

FATAL ACCIDENTS LED NEWS FOR AUGUST, '36

Young Man Accidentally Electrocuted As He Handled Lamp in His Siles Home

SMALL GIRL DROWNED

A young man residing in Siles was accidentally electrocuted when he handled a lamp as he was seated on a radiator in his home, during the month of August. A small girl drowned at Andalusia, one man was killed and four seriously injured in accidents on the second day of that month.

Accounts of fires, widening of the Lincoln Highway, accidents, coroner's inquests etc., were found in news for month of 1936 in the files of the Courier:

1st—Republicans of New Hope and Solebury decided to join forces during the on-coming political campaign.

2nd—One man was killed and four seriously hurt in Sunday automobile crashes. The dead: Albert Thomas, Jr., 3359 N. American street, Philadelphia. Thomas, with a companion, was said to be walking along the Lincoln Highway, one-half mile East of City Line, when struck by a passenger car. He was dead when admitted to Harriton Hospital.

3rd—Because of a large amount of unpaid taxes, an increase in the rate of one mill was found necessary for Newtown borough.

A small girl, Marian Diamond, aged four, was drowned at Torresdale Manor. It was believed the child stepped into hole while wading.

Bucks County farmers and bankers participated in the annual tour, taking in farms of interest in New Jersey. Sixty-three were in the motorcade.

4th—The Bucks County marriage license bureau "took a beating" during the month of July, according to reports for the period, only 97 marriage licenses being granted, as compared to 220 in July of 1935.

Fifty per cent more farmers in Bucks County were engaged in growing soy beans than were 10 years previous, it was stated, it being found soy beans were a good substitute for clover and alfalfa.

Over 50 farmers of Bucks County gathered at the Baker-Chapman farm, Oxford-Tullytown Road, and heard an address on the culture of tomatoes given by J. M. Huffington, vegetable garden specialist.

5th—III for 10 weeks, Mrs. Laura D. Thornton (nee King), died at her Bath street home. She was in her 86th year.

It was planned to start rebuilding of a new eight-inch macadam road on North Dellmore avenue, Morrisville, as soon as drawing and specifications could be completed.

A total of 10 new instructors were listed for the Bristol public school faculty, according to the list published for 1936-37 term.

6th—Officials of Quakertown Water Department stated the water supply was in danger, and urged residents to conserve the water, not using any to sprinkle lawns.

A tree in Lambertville, N. J., was claimed fatal to the Japanese beetles that ate of its leaves. The small tree, a buckeye bottlebrush, was located at the home of Neilson Rittenhouse.

Morrisville officials banned all-night parking, issuing orders to police to curb such.

1936 being Bucks County's year to have the honor of naming a presidential elector, the Republican organization of Bucks and Lehigh counties named Clifford L. Anderson, burgess of Bristol, to serve in that capacity.

Mrs. Louise Bell, in charge of involuntary manslaughter and murder in connection with the fatal shooting of Jesse Jones, 45, on the morning of July 4th, was held for the grand jury, Continued on Page Four

CHIMNEY FIRE

CROYDON, Jan. 9—The chimney on the Pennsylvania Railroad station here, was discovered afire this morning at 6:45 o'clock. Croydon Fire Company was summoned. Damage was slight.

W. C. T. U. MEETING

The January meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union will be held Tuesday evening at the home of the Misses Rogers, 206 Jefferson avenue. The program will include a study of the state report, in charge of Miss Gertrude Pope; and a demonstration in alcohol education by Miss Jane Rogers.

Her Prayers Did Not Save Son



Mrs. Matilda Di Donne is shown above in her humble Brooklyn home as she bowed her head in prayer for her son, Theodore, who was one of two executed at Sing Sing for the shooting of Edwin Esposito, a subway guard. Four others originally sentenced to die with him obtained mercy and will serve life sentences.

23 PROPERTIES SOLD BY SHERIFF GWINNER

Writs Were Issued Out of The Court of Common Pleas

SOME LOCATED HERE

DOYLESTOWN, Jan. 9—Twenty-three properties were sold by Sheriff Horace E. Gwinner yesterday by virtue of writs issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Bucks county. One sale was continued until a later date and another was settled. The sales were as follows:

Bensalem township: Tract seized from Theodore S. Moss, et ux, real debt, \$5905.75; sold to Howard M. Barnes, Doylestown attorney, for \$273.40.

Perkasie: Tract seized from Lloyd W. Heefner et al; real debt, \$1650; sold to Mark Thatcher, Perkasie, attorney, for \$114.10.

Warrington township: Tract seized from John F. Gallen et ux; real debt, \$2281.95; sold to Bunting and Satterwhite, Doylestown, attorneys, for \$64.03.

Bristol: Tract seized from James F. Blanche et al; real debt, \$2458.69; sold to Arthur M. Eastburn, Doylestown, attorney, for \$1500.

Bristol: Tract seized from Augusto Marini; real debt, \$2243.83; sold to Arthur M. Eastburn, Doylestown, attorney, for \$469.21.

Bristol: Tract seized from William J. Case et al; real debt, \$2106.21; sold to Arthur M. Eastburn, attorney, for \$1200.

Bristol: Tract seized from William F. Foster et al; real debt, \$2244.30; sold to Willard S. Curtin, attorney, for \$217.05.

Bristol: Tract seized from Jacob F. Pritchard, 31, of Perkasie, whose auto killed Charles Beswick, 51, as he stepped from a street car near his home here a month ago, today was held without bail on charges of negligence, preferred by Coroner Charles Hearn.

Springfield township: Tract seized from Victor S. Fox and Priscilla S. Fox; real debt, \$697.70; sold to Harry Schalcher, Chalfont, attorney, for \$81.13.

Morrisville: Tract seized from Carl Continued on Page Four

CORNWELLS FIREMEN MAKE ANNUAL REPORT

Company Ends Financial Year With Balance of \$386.24 In The Treasury

ITEMIZED LIST GIVEN

CORNWELLS HEIGHTS, Jan. 9—Union Fire Company here has concluded the financial year with a balance of \$386.24 in the treasury, according to a report filed and audited.

In the report there is given an itemized list of receipts and expenditures for the year.

The report is as follows:

RECEIPTS

Badges \$ 1.00

Card parties 15.54

Donations 26.25

Special Donations 401.25

Dues 29.00

Picnic 155.46

Suppers 89.50

Board of Supervisors 829.00

Rental Tables and Chairs 3.50

Miscellaneous Monies 1.38

Total Receipts \$ 1,551.88

DISBURSEMENTS

Building Maintenance \$ 78.49

Special Donations 27.50

Equipment 82.20

Expense 145.75

Phila. Electric Co. 30.58

Fuel 57.75

Gasoline and Oil 47.65

Settlement of Mortgage Paid in Full 515.60

Picnic 23.00

Suppers 35.00

Bell Telephone 22.00

Truck Maintenance 175.88

Total Disbursements \$ 1,211.22

Total Receipts \$ 1,551.88

Total Disbursements 1,211.22

Balance \$ 335.24

Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1936 7.53

Total Cash in Treasury \$ 335.24

HELD FOR DEATH BY AUTO

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ELECT TRUSTEES

At a meeting of the male members of the Bristol M. E. Church last night, the following were elected trustees for terms of three years: Dr. J. Fred Wagner, Phillip J. Reed and Jesse L. Betz.

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Classified "Ads" Bring Quie Results

HOME ECONOMICS HAD AN ACTIVE YEAR

DOYLESTOWN, Jan. 9—Making her sixth report to an annual meeting of the Bucks County Agricultural Extension Association, Miss Rhonda Armstrong, strong director of home economics in Bucks county, told 200 men and women attending the 20th annual meeting that her department conducted 473 meetings during 1936.

Miss Armstrong has met with groups of women and girls who requested the assistance of the extension service for the first time. During the past year there have been 13 adult and 17 4-H club groups and in addition to those there were talks or demonstrations given before 11 groups such as parent

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WHO PAY INCOME TAXES?

Although analysis of income tax statistics for the past year do not show an increase in our rather limited millionaire class, they do show some other significant facts, the most outstanding of which is that a very small percentage of the population is subject to the tax.

It is possible that this fact is largely responsible for the complacency with which large government expenditures are looked upon by the many. The argument has been made, and repeated many times, that the only way by which these expenditures can be made unpopular is to make everyone tax conscious. The only way to do that is to levy a direct tax which will reach practically all the people.

The internal revenue figures on individual income tax returns cover that period of the past year ended August 31. Experience shows that returns during this period are more than 98 per cent of all returns for the year, and cover more than 99 per cent of the tax collected. The few returns filed later are almost all in the highest income brackets. The returns now made public cover incomes in the year 1935. Twelve per cent more people filed returns in 1936 than in 1935. The net income reported was 18 per cent higher, and the total tax collected was 29 per cent higher, with rates the same in the two years.

An income tax return must be filed by every single person with a net income of \$1,000 or over, every married person with a net income of \$1,500 or over, and every person, married or single, with a gross income of at least \$5,000. The number of returns in 1936 was about 4,500,000. This means that in 1935 the above incomes were reported by about 1 in every 28, men, women and children in the United States, and by about 1 in every 13 persons aged 25 or more.

Actually the number receiving such incomes was somewhat higher because certain forms of income are not reportable. Among these are remuneration paid to state and city employees, including teachers; bequests and gifts; stock dividends; interest on tax-exempt securities. Also, some untraceable income may not be reported by certain persons. And about one-half of all returns are joint returns of husband and wife.

The average net income per return in 1936 was \$3,276. The average tax was \$146. The average rate of tax was about 4½ per cent. In recent years more than one-half of all returns have been non-taxable. That is, the deductions and credits allowed were larger than the net income. So the number of persons who actually are paying an income tax in 1936 is equivalent to about 2 per cent of the entire population and about 3 per cent of the population 25 years of age and older.

More than 89 per cent of all returns in 1936 showed net income of less than \$5,000, but this group is paying less than 7 per cent of the entire tax collected. Almost one-half of the entire tax came from persons whose net incomes were somewhere between \$10,000 and \$100,000. In returns up to August 31, 1936, million-dollar or higher incomes were reported by 41 persons. There were 33 such persons in 1935 and 513 in 1930. Net incomes of \$100,000 or over were reported by 2,624 persons up to August 31 of this year, by 1,907 in 1935 and by 14,816 in 1930.

NEWS OF CHURCHES

Established 1910

St. James's P. E. Church

Services for January 10th: Eight a. m., Holy Communion; 9:30 a. m., Church School; 10:45, morning prayer and sermon; 6:45 p. m., Young People's Fellowship; 7:45, evening prayer and sermon.

The Mother's Guild will meet on Tuesday in the parish house; Young People's Fellowship will sponsor a card party at the parish house on Tuesday evening.

The rector will have in Church on Sunday the new Forward Movement books for the Epiphany season.

First Baptist Church

Sunday School, 10 a. m. John D. Welk, superintendent; morning worship and sermon, 11, "Christian Grace;" B. Y. P. U. meeting, seven p. m.; evening worship and sermon, eight, "Can One Know That He Is A Child of God?"

Bristol Presbyterian Church

Church School, 9:45 a. m.; morning service at 11 o'clock, with the Rev. William M. Yeomans in charge.

Bristol Methodist Episcopal Church

Bishop Ernest G. Richardson, D. D., LL. D., will be the preacher at the Sunday morning service at 10:50 o'clock.

The Sunday School will meet at 9:45 a. m.; evening service, 7:45, the

pastor will speak on the subject, "How to Pray."

Mrs. Ruth Bowman, Reading, will direct the singing and be the guest soloist at both services; Epworth League, 6:45 p. m.

The second Church Night program begins Wednesday, January 13th. The subject will be "The Kingdom of God." Seven phases of this subject will be discussed on as many Wednesday nights by the pastor and other special leaders. The program will begin with a devotional service at 7:30 p. m., and close promptly at nine.

Bethel A. M. E. Church

Wood street, services; Sunday School, 9:45, Sunday morning; morning worship, 11; Allen League, 6:45; evening worship, eight.

Official board meeting every Monday night, eight; Wednesday night, prayer service, at eight; choir rehearsals every Friday night at eight o'clock.

HULMEVILLE

The attendance at the card party of Neshaminy Lodge, No. 422, in the lodge headquarters, Wednesday evening, totalled \$5. Twenty of the group enjoyed the game of bingo, and the remainder played pinochle. Excellent prizes were awarded the high scorers. Refreshments were served. The committee in charge included: Thomas Andrew, Fred Burkholder, and Horace C. Cox.

A few of the students from Hulmeville who attend the Langhorne-

Middletown high school, enjoyed a Year's Eve the Elys entertained Mr. and Mrs. Roscos Perkins and daughter Helen.

Cornelius Ferwerda, Arlington, N. J., spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. George States.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dennis and family spent the holidays in Maryland. Mrs. Bertha States spent several days as guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson, Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Bryant, Sr., Wissinomong, and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Peters, Jr., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Bryant, Jr., New Year's Day.

Mrs. Frances Whitehead and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hopely, Lansdale, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. George States, Sunday.

Miss Mary Coar, Belvidere, N. J., spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Simons.

Adolf Reif is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. William Amick and son spent New Year's Day with friends in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shaw spent New Year's Day visiting relatives in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sedgewick entertained on Sunday in honor of Mrs. Sedgewick's birthday: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miehle and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miehle, Eddington; James Hurry and Miss Eleanor Zeigler, Maple Shade.

Mr. and Mrs. Paulsworth and Miss Janet Hibbs, Andalusia; William Scarborough, North Carolina, and Mrs. Bertha States were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wilkinson, New Year's Day.

ANDALUSIA

Mrs. Annie Dignam, Wissinomong, is spending a few days with Mrs. B. Montgomery.

Miss Doris Phillips and Mrs. Louis Wissinomong are on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Fairheller, Philadelphia, visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Oliver, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Murray were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. O. Murray and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Cook, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Cook spent New Year's Day with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cook, Mayfair.

Miss Dorothy O'Dea, Edgely, visited Miss Hazel Andrews, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barr, Oak Lane, visited Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Andrews, Sunday.

Mrs. D. Chapman visited Mrs. Harry Oliver, Wednesday evening.

CORNWELLS HEIGHTS

Mr. and Mrs. William Hawkins and son Jesse were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ely recently; and on New

Linn Bassett. Also guests at the Bassett home are their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Hardwick Marvin Powell, Sr., and sons, Lord, and son Carol, of Orange, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Magill, Jr., and Harry Magill, Sr., Yardley.

Miss Carrie Dansbury, Trenton, N. J., spent a few days this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abner Dansbury, Sandy Run.

Miss Dorothy Gillette, Philadelphia, has returned home after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Frankville, N. J.; Miss Betty Hines, Feas-Robinson, Jr.

Behind the Scenes in HOLLYWOOD

By HARRISON CARROLL

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HOLLYWOOD — That surprise birthday party given to Lew Ayres by 25 pals the other night had a touch of Hollywood drama. For the first guest to arrive was Ginger Rogers, Lew's ex. Unlike some divorced couples of filmdom, they don't continue to have dates with each other, but there are no ill feelings. Ask Bill Bakewell, Ralph Bellamy, Florence Lake or anybody at the party.

Here and there in Hollywood... The Ralph Raingers expect that visit from the stork in about a month... The beauty with Wesley Ruggles at the Beverly Brown Derby was Willi Francis. She's from New Orleans and she is one of the Paramount contract girls. The Basil Rathbones are so homesick for Hollywood that they cancelled plans for a New Year's celebration in New York... Did you know that James Gleason goes in for wood-carving? He personally made the hobby horse that went to Frank McHugh's two-year-old son on Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Haman, North Carolina, are guests of Mrs. Haman's parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. Janet Hibbs, Andalusia; William Scarborough, North Carolina, and Mrs. Bertha States were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wilkinson, New Year's Day.

YARDLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Fred G. Satterthwaite had as their guests over the holiday season, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Voss, Bayside, N. Y. Complimenting their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Satterthwaite entertained a number of their friends at five tables of bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Haman, North Carolina, are guests of Mrs. Haman's parents, Dr. and Mrs. H.

THIS DATE IN NEWS OF PAST

Saturday, January 9

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1788—Connecticut, the fifth State, ratified the Constitution.

1859—Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, woman suffrage pioneer, was born.

1861—First shot of the War Between the States was fired, at Fort Moultrie, S. C. Same day, Mississippi seceded from the Union, following South Carolina's example.

1935—Jasfie Condon testified in Lindbergh kidnaping trial and identified Hauptmann as ransom receiver.

After two months efforts to get storm scenes on the Pacific coast, M. G. M. recently sent a camera crew to Florida. They hadn't been there a week when the recent gale smashed the west coastline from Alaska to Mexico. Director Victor Fleming, who impatiently awaits the storm stuff for "Captains Courageous", collected pictures of the devastation from local newspapers and air mailed them to his crew in Miami.

"Please get me shots like this," he begged.

You Asked Me and I'm Telling You! Louise Hunt, Glendale: There is nothing new on the marriage rumors concerning Kay Francis and Delmer Daves. Right now, Kay is paying her eighth visit to the Austrian Tyrol. And she writes Hollywood friends she is learning to ski.

An important milliner has called M. G. M. asking for information about Garbo's next picture. The Swedish star, he says, influences American hat styles more than any other Hollywood celebrity. Copies of Greta's Chinese hat in "The Painted Veil" are said to have set

first of the year.

There still are some ladies who'll put in a day

Crowding to counters and turning away:

Looking at stockings and trying on hats,

Shopping for curtains, for sheets, or for mats—

Gazing at manikins, propped in the aisles,

Standing for hours and walking for miles;

Watching the weather for fear of the wet,

Dreading the dinner they still have to get!

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You don't have to do all these things any more—

That's what the stores print advertisements for!

You sit down at home in your favorite chair,

Look through this paper—the bargains are there.

Buy what you need, with the ads as your guides:

Save yourself trouble and money besides!

"Why not be a sport and make it a double ceremony, Elizabeth?"

ness of her happiness.

And what of Gerald's thoughts? There was a set look on his face. In the hard, clear light of early morning in the little desert town, the lines on it looked as though graven in bronze.

Only his eyes had life. He was thinking fast. He had just seen the news photographers.

Colonel McCarthy went straight from his argument with Elizabeth to the brokerage house of Edmund Bruton & Company in Los Angeles. Perhaps he was unduly old-fashioned and cautious, but he felt he was doing the right thing. With a girl as good-looking and headstrong as Elizabeth, one couldn't be too careful. The fellow must certainly be looked into.

That Satan found plenty of mischievous for idle hands was one of his favorite mottoes. Work was the thing for her. Work in the home. It would be excellent discipline. Old Martha was getting past her best. The Filipino boy who attended the orange grove could do the heavy cleaning in the house. Elizabeth for a time, anyway, until she found her head—should undertake the cooking and the lighter housework.

After transacting a small matter of business with Darrow, an elderly man who had been associated with Bruton & Company for many years, the Colonel, humming and hawing rather nervously, made his inquiry.

Darrow looked startled. And embarrassed too. Indeed it seemed as though he did not wish to say anything.

"Of course this is entirely confidential. Just between the two of us, Darrow. Elizabeth is young and ignorant. Her mother is dead, I have to be extra careful of her. You understand how it is."

Ten minutes later, the Colonel departed, looking like an angry wolf. Darrow had been guarded, as

(To Be Continued)

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In a Personal Way

INTERESTING bits of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings. . . .

Events for Tonight

Card party by Catholic Daughters of America in K. of C. home. Annual turkey supper in Emilie M. E. Church basement, 5 to 8 p.m.

HAVE BEEN ILL

Mrs. L. Weiker, Trenton avenue, has been confined to her home by illness this week.

James Dugan, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Dugan, 1042 Chestnut street, is a patient in St. Luke's Hospital, Philadelphia, where he was operated upon on Thursday.

RETURN HOME AFTER VISITS

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Moyer and family returned to their home on Wilson avenue, after spending the weekend with relatives in Womelsdorf.

Miss Nancy Phillips, Swain street, spent Friday and Saturday in Trenton, N. J., visiting Miss Virginia Crammer.

Misses Verna and Arline Woolman, Locust street, William Rasmussen, McKinley street, Peter Kring, Eddington, were Sunday visitors of the Misses Alita and Gladys Smith, Oakmont.

RESUME STUDIES
Miss Dorothy Willaman, a student at Northwestern University, Ill., and Miss Janet Willaman, a student at Carlton College, Minn., have resumed their studies after spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Willaman, Fairview Lane.

HERE FROM TRENTON
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Richardson and daughter Thelma, Trenton, N. J., were visitors during the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Hughes, Swain street.

HAVE BEEN IN OTHER CITIES
William Koning, 321 Taft street, has returned home after two weeks' visit with relatives in Lafayette, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eastlack, Anna and Alfred Eastlack, 903 Garden street, spent a day visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Manion, Philadelphia. Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eastlack were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Welzer, Miss Marie Manion and George Appenzeller, Philadelphia.

Mrs. David Neill, 613 Beaver street, spent Wednesday in West Philadelphia.

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MEMBERS, FRIENDS OF BIBLE CLASS ARE SOCIAL PARTICIPANTS

The Women's Bible Class, Bristol Presbyterian Church, held its monthly meeting Thursday evening. The members invited friends and a supper was served to 47 in the church banquet room.

Mrs. Frank Lehman, president of the class, arranged the table decorations which were flowers and greens, the greens being received from California.

Mrs. Lehman invited all to stay for a social hour, and games were enjoyed.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Francis D. Kelly, 25, and Marie Emma Zickel, 24, Cornwells Heights.

John and Michael Sokol, Garfield street, and Julia A. Van Harre, 22, 7 Fowler street, Trenton, N. J.

Charles Warren Witman, Jr., 20, Shelly, and Grace Marie Snyder, 16, Quakertown R. D. 2.

Lester William Shaffer, 22, and Emily Roberta Landis, 21, Quakertown R. D. 2.

Arthur Poinsett, 25, Riverton, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Baker and family, Reading, week-ended with Albert Baker, Jackson street.

Stacy Cullen, Pottsville, spent Thursday until Sunday visiting his family on Pond street.

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and Marguerite Meadows, 23, Columbus, N. J.

Council will be held in the council chamber Monday evening.

Sidney Moses, 41, and Helen Erdemsky, 29, New Brunswick, N. J.

John A. Stracci, 27, and Mary Mauro, 25, Bristol.

Ralph V. Narcist, 23, and Edith Di Midio, 21, Bristol.

TULLYTOWN

The Misses Rose, Carmel and Christine Paroli, Lula Cavin, Jennie Paolella; and Edward Paolella were visitors with relatives in Philadelphia, New Year's Day.

Mrs. Mahlon Hankins has been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Clay and family, Elkton, Md., have been spending a few days with relatives here.

Miss Christine Johnson has been ill.

The annual meeting of Tullytown

Oak Lane; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Grindler and daughter Betty, Olney.

On Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Coyne and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Moyer, Edgely.

On Wednesday night, Mrs. William Johnston entertained the auditing committee of the Auxiliary of the Fire Company. After completing the work

lunch and social evening were enjoyed. A dance will occur Monday night in the firehouse.

CROYDON

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Hafeley, Croydon Manor, was the scene of festivity when a party of friends gathered to welcome the new year. Dancing, singing, and games ensued. Mrs. Dyson rendered piano solos. Supper was served at one a. m. Those comprising the party: Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Coyne, William Beer, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Boerner, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hardy, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dyson, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Lovell.

Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Coyne entertained at dinner on Sunday: Mrs. Kathleen Flannery, George Kugler,

Classified Advertising Department**Announcements****Deaths**

GIBERSON—At Bristol, Pa., January 8, 1937. Mary A., wife of Milford D. Gibson. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral on Monday, January 11, at 1:30 p. m., from her late residence, Main St., Tullytown. Interment in Brotherhood Cemetery, Mt. Holly, N. J. Friends may call Sunday evening.

LEGAL**BANKRUPT SALE**

Of John Wright and Arthur Wright, individually, and trading as Wm. P. Wright Est., at 119-125 Mill Street, Bristol, Pa. Sale, January 13th, at 12 noon, sharp.

Consisting of a very large stock of first-class hardware, which will be offered at public sale in bulk, and if said bid is not deemed sufficient, said articles will be sold in lots. Both stores are full of good hardware. Come and get supplied with good hardware. Stock can be inspected on January 12th from 10 a. m. to noon.

By order of Robert G. Hendricks, Referee.

FRANK B. BERTLES, Trustee, Doylestown, Pa.

E. NEWLIN BROWN, Auctioneer. E-1-6, 9, 12

ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Harriet A. DeWitt, late of Bensalem Township, Bucks County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Letters Testamentary on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are required to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to HUGH B. EASTBURN, Bristol, Pa., Executor. 1-2-6tow

ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of W. Whitfield Blinn, late of the Township of Bristol, Pa., deceased.

Letters Testamentary having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are notified to make settlement, and all having legal claims against same are requested to present them promptly in proper form for settlement to CLARENCE T. BLINN, Executor. 12-5-6tow

ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Wanda Bartz, late of the Township of Bristol, Pa., deceased.

Letters of administration having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are notified to make settlement, and all having legal claims against same are requested to present them promptly in proper form for settlement to HENRY BARTZ, Administrator, Washington Avenue, Bristol, R. D. 2, Pa. 12-19-6tow

ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Margaret S. Winder, also known as Maggie S. Winder, deceased, late of Bristol Township, Bucks County, Pennsylvania.

Letters of administration on the above estate have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the estate or the decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payment without delay to

EMMA SIMPSON, Administratrix, 2630 Amber Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Or to her Attorneys, JOHN P. BETZ, JR., 219 Radcliffe Street, Bristol, Pa., and ANNA H. FRANK, 1324 Lincoln Liberty Bldg., Philadelphia, Pa.

1-2-6tow

ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Lizzie Weber, late of the Borough of Bristol, Pa., deceased.

Letters testamentary having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are notified to make settlement, and all having legal claims against same are requested to present them promptly in proper form for settlement to MARY LOECHNER, Executrix, 253 Penn Street, Bristol, Pa. 12-5-6tow

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WE WISH TO THANK—All friends, neighbors and organizations for their kindness to us in our recent loss by fire.

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BUNNIES WIN OPENER, DEFEATING NEWTOWN

(By "Herm" Corn)

Clever, well-executed passing, splendid defensive play and good heads-up basketball in general, helped "Bill" Dougherty's protégés maintain their excellent record by handing an inspired Newtown five a 22-5 setback, on the home court.

Having the best crowd for a long time on the opening game at home, the fighting bunnies were inspired and showed the home folks how the game of basketball should be played. Taking the limelight in this ball-handling affair was Charlie Hughes. He, by making good his under-the-basket shots, was a great asset in this well-earned victory. He was high point-gatherer and chalked up three double-deckers for six points. Van Lenten and Carnvale, sinking each a duo of two-pointers, came next with four points. Smith and Nolan of the visitors each scored a double-decker for the only field goals of the game for the out-of-towners.

In the first few minutes of play the locals managed to draw first blood by virtue of a two-pointer sunk by Hughes. Then on receiving the ball on the tap the Red and Gray guards whipped a pass to Carnvale who added another two points to the score. On the next out-of-bounds thrown in, a pass was winged to Zefferi who made the ball make a familiar twang sound as it went through the cords of the net. But not so far off behind, the Newtown team seemed to wake up and scored a two-pointer. Coming back again, the Bristol team gained possession of the ball out of bounds and when the ball was passed from Profy to Hughes he laid the ball away into the loop, making the score still larger. During the next minutes of play, Huffnell was fouled and was given a charity throw which he made good. Score, 8 to 2.

In order to give the varsity a rest, Coach Dougherty sent in the reserves. This team didn't give their opponents a chance to get accustomed to the change of line-up and immediately Van Lenten racked up two double-deckers and was followed by a single field goal by Vanzant. By gaining the tap-off the visitors worked the ball toward their basket to enable Nolan to score. The score at the half read: Bristol, 15; Newtown, 5.

Coming onto the floor in the third canto, the Bunnies were determined to leave the visitors behind. On receiving a pass from Huffnell, Profy scored a field goal from near the middle of the floor. Then after the ball exchanged hands Zefferi made a shot from under the net, followed by Hughes' retaliation for another two-pointer, making the score 22 to 5. This is the way the score stood for the rest of the game.

The girls last night won their first game of the 1937 season by defeating the Wildwinds, composed of the Alumini, by the score of 20-14.

Zefferi f	1	0	2
Van Lenten f	2	0	4
Carnvale f	2	0	4
Profy g	1	0	2
Hughes (capt.) c	3	0	6
Huffnell g	0	2	2
De Luca f	0	0	0
Di Midio c	0	0	0
Gallagher g	0	0	0
Vanzant g	1	0	2
10			22
Bristol	Fd. G. Fl. G.	Pts.	
Newtown	Fd. G. Fl. G.	Pts.	
Tomlinson f	0	0	0
Davis f	0	0	0
Smith c	1	0	2
Rutherford g	0	0	0
Nolan g	1	0	2
Scott g	0	0	0
Gallagher g	0	0	0
Talley g	0	1	1
2			5
Bristol	8	7	0-22
Newtown	2	3	0-5

GAME ASSOCIATION TO MEET

The regular quarterly meeting of the Bristol Fish and Game Protective Association will be held Tuesday at 8 p.m. at Coleman's store, Mill and Pond streets, Bristol, at which time officers for the coming year will be elected and other business transacted as may come before the meeting.

FALLSINGTON

Miss Ruth West has been spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Donley, who reside in Philadelphia. Miss West with Mr. and Mrs. Donley, spent a day in Atlantic City.

Mrs. Clinton Negley has been visiting at the home of her father, Mr. Gross, Elizabethtown.

NEWPORTVILLE

Mrs. Fred Boehringer, who has been ill in bed several days suffering from an attack of grippe, is improved.

Mrs. Jane Lee spent New Year's Day in Philadelphia as guest of her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Middleton had as dinner guests on New Year's Day Mr. and Mrs. John Middleton, Laabska, and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Schaeffer and Doris and Sonny, Holmesburg. Their weekend guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Walker and Archie O'Donnell, Philadelphia.

CORNWELLS HEIGHTS

Miss Ida Minster spent New Year's Day as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Larkins, Aldan.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miehle entertained on New Year's Day: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miehle, Eddington; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sedgewick and daughter, James Hurry and Miss Eleanor Zeigler, Maple Shade.

The Ladies Auxiliary of Cornwells

Debating Shortstop Supremacy

By BURNLEY



When the official big league baseball records are released, arguments always are sure to ensue among rabid baseball fans.

The National League's 1936 fielding averages provoked plenty of debates as to the leading shortstop of the past campaign. The protagonists in this battle of figures and decimals are Rowdy Dick Bartell of the N. Y. Giants and Lippy Leo Durocher of the St. Louis Gashouse Gang. These two boys are both as aggressive as Mussolini's speeches, and they can play shortstop like nobody's business. The question is, which is the better?

Who is the kingpin shortstop of the National League? The record book fails to give a conclusive answer. True, the fielding averages give Durocher a clear and definite margin, with a mark of .971 to the Giant star's .956; but these figures are offset by others in Dick's favor. The rowdy one led the loop in total chances accepted, and also was top man in double plays.

This would indicate that Bartell covers more ground than his rival and is the speedier pivot man, while the flashy Frenchman is the surer ball handler.

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Fire Company, No. 1, will hold a card and "radio" party, January 15th, at 8:30 p.m., at the firehouse.

HULMEVILLE

An attack of illness has confined George LeCompte to his home. Little Doris LeCompte is ill at the home of her grandmother in Langhorne.

June Thorpe was taken to the Episcopal Hospital, Philadelphia, today, for an operation for removal of her tonsils.

Negro's Contribution To Field of Music is Told

YARDLEY, Jan. 9.—Alfred M. Conrad, Newtown, was the guest speaker of the Yardley Civic Club, Thursday afternoon, in the club rooms, when he told of the Negro Spirituals. "Nobody Knows the Troubles I've Seen," "Deep River" and "Old Man River."

Miss Lilian E. VanArtsdalen read a paper on "The Negro Musical Contribution to America." Mrs. Harry Magill gave a reading, "A Page from Thanksgiving Ann." Mrs. S. S. Hartman read an article from the Club Woman, "The Story of a Collect for Club Women." Mrs. Walter H. Thompson also read an article "Into a New Year" from the same magazine.

Mrs. William H. Applegate reported that a number of greetings had been sent to shut-ins at Christmas time, and Mrs. Thompson announced a covered dish luncheon to be held by the club on January 21st at 1 o'clock when guest day will be observed. Each person is requested to take a favorite recipe to be posted on the bill board.

Mrs. Thompson gave a report of the press conference which she and Miss Van Artsdalen attended in Philadelphia during the past month.

A number of the club members attended the program presented by the garden committee of the Contemporary Club, Trenton, N. J., on January 8th, when Charles T. Wilbur, of the Department of Forests and Parks, of New Jersey, was the speaker.

Mrs. Harvey J. Fank presided, and Mrs. Walter H. Thompson acted as treasurer in the absence of Mrs. Mary Y. Beans, Mrs. S. S. Hartman was secretary.

Beautiful Story of Wedgwood Told Here

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Telling of Josiah's years of service in order to secure the fortune required by Sarah's father for the one who should wed the fair Sarah. The great love which the crippled young man bore Sarah deepened with the years, and countless are the pieces of china which show as a background for white figures the blue of the dress she wore when first they met. John Wesley, in visiting the cottage of Wedgwood, found that "His soul is near to God," thus recording in his diary his meeting with the famed potter. Ten years of service in order to win the one of his choice were given by Josiah, and they were blessed with sons and daughters. One of their grandchildren was the famed Charles Darwin.

Josiah Wedgwood was shown to be a man rich in intellect, being practically self-educated, and readily memorizing books which he read. He was described as "a great and generous man."

After 29 years of wedded life, Josiah paid the following tribute to his beloved Sarah: "I never had a great plan I did not submit to my wife . . . I worked for her approval."

The high standing of the entire

23 Properties Sold By Sheriff Gwinther

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Markau et ux; real debt, \$1390.62; sold to J. Lawrence Grinn, Morrisville, attorney, for \$86.67.

Bristol: Tract seized from Minot J. Hill et al; real debt, \$8890.92; sold to Horace N. Davis, Bristol, attorney, for \$1156.44.

Hilltown township: Tract seized from Henry D. Zink et ux; real debt, \$5706.04; sold to C. Wilson Roberts, Doylestown, attorney, for \$5706.04.

Doylestown: Tract seized from Ferdinand Polk et ux; real debt, \$4000; sold to Howard M. Barnes, Doylestown, attorney, for \$458.30.

Hilltown township: Tract seized from Christian H. Moyer; real debt, \$11,838.36; sold to Mark Thatcher, Perkasie, attorney, for \$129.06.

Perkasie: Tract seized from William H. Miller; real debt, \$559.47; sold to

Mark Thatcher, Perkasie, attorney, for \$154.21.

Bristol: Tract seized from Frank Lombardo, Maria Lombardo and Minot J. Hill; real debt, \$6000; sold to Horace N. Davis, Bristol, attorney, for \$325.20.

Hilltown township: Tract seized from Alexandria Hill et al; real debt, \$2309.52; sold to Henry A. James, Doylestown, attorney, for \$215.37.

New Britain township: Tract seized from Louise H. Shaffer and Gustave C. Shaffer; real debt, \$1200; sold to Webster S. Achey, Doylestown, attorney, for \$165.97.

Bristol township: Tract seized from Edward Fink and Mary Fink; real debt, \$917.84; sold to Theodore Kline, Doylestown, attorney, for \$127.

Bristol township: Tract seized from Edward H. Chapman et al; real debt, \$1316.84; sold to Theodore Kline, Doylestown, attorney, for \$102.15.

Robert John Turner, Bristol Road, Sues, was electrocuted as he picked up an electric lamp, as he was seated on a radiator at his home. Death was instantaneous.

A coroner's jury here exonerated Sigmund Lyczak, driver of an automobile which crashed near Green Lane intersection, on July 26, fatally injuring Charles Comorsky, Burlington, N. J.

14th—Lightning struck a barn and three houses in lower Bucks County within a period of three hours. A farm-hand working in the barn of Stephen Fisher, Wrightstown, was stunned.

15th—It was stat'd by Edward Lynn, Bristol justice of the peace, that all murder warrants issued in Bristol within a period of 40 years were issued through him. There were no murder warrants issued from 1896 to 1923.

16th—Two Yardley nonagenarians, Mrs. Lucinda Gervin and Lewis Lynn, observed their birthdays. The former was 90 on August 16th, and the latter 91 one day later.

Gaia Day events presented by Our Lady of Grace Parish, South Langhorne, were witnessed by 1000 people. A program of sports, entertainment, baby parade, etc., had been arranged.

"Herb" Lawrence and Nelson Green won the Trenton City doubles tennis championship.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clark, Sr., 201 Wood street, observed their 50th wedding anniversary at a family gathering.

17th—Five barns, one dwelling and five farm animals were listed as the losses in week-end fires, caused by lightning in lower Bucks County. The total for four of the fires was estimated at \$14,000.

18th—The long-continued drought was said to have damaged crops considerably in Bucks County.

An aged Italian woman, said to be temporarily deranged, ended her life by hanging. The victim was Mrs. Arcangela DelGuccio, 71, of Penn Valley.

It was stated that public relief funds were being received each week by approximately 155 residents of Bucks County who were not eligible.

19th—A lad of 16 years, Alfred Burton, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Burton, Germantown, was drowned in the Delaware River at Eddington.

20th—A meeting of a group of Republican workers occurred in the Travel Club Home, organized for the "Dollar Certificate" campaign which it was planned to conduct in connection with the Republican campaign to elect Alfred M. Landon president of the United States.

A court battle over ownership of Burlington Island loomed, as the city and township both claimed the land. This was the outgrowth of sale of 4 and 6-10 acres tract some time previous.

21st—Charles Ward Hall, 59, presi-

dent of the Hall-Aluminum Aircraft Corporation, was killed when the plane he was piloting crashed into a tree near Hopewell, N. J. Fog was blamed for the accident.

22nd—A man, for a time unidentified, was killed when struck by an automobile on Bristol Pike, Cornwells Heights. The victim was later identified as Edward Murphy, Philadelphia.

A Morrisville lad, John Krause, Jr., aged 12 years, was rescued from a cave after a quantity of dirt buried him. The playmates of the lad summoned help, and men commenced digging at once.

23rd—Police officers of Bristol and state highway patrolmen made 10 arrests for traffic violations in Bristol, in an effort to keep traffic under control while additional machines were being re-routed through Bristol, due to work of widening of the Lincoln highway.

24th—It was stated that Dorothy Parker, wise-cracking ace of America's light versifiers, and her husband, Alan Campbell, had purchased an 11-acre farm in Tinicum Township.

Enumeration figures for Hulmeville

borough showed a gain of 16 children, aged six to 16.

Several hundred persons lined banks of the Delaware River at Yardley when a ton and a half charge of dynamite was set off to complete the channel being laid by a construction company to run an oil pipe line, three feet below the bed of the river for conveyance of oil.

An aged and well-known oak tree on Ford Road, Bristol Township, was discovered afire. It was thought the tree was hit by lightning.

25th—In an automobile crash at Wheatsheaf, a woman and her daughter, Mrs. Lena Guntz, and Mrs. Lillian K. Barger, Philadelphia, were killed, and another daughter of Mrs. Guntz, as well as Mrs. Barger's two children, were injured. The crash was said to have occurred as the driver found it difficult to mount the highway from a low shoulder, and crashed into a parked truck.

26th—There were 99 more children of school age in Bristol Township as shown by the enumerator's report, than for the year previous.

27th—With increased traffic through

the boroughs of Bristol, due to re-routing of trucks here from the Lincoln Highway, where repairs were being made, Burgess Clifford L. Anderson banned parking on Pond street.

30th—A man, for a time unidentified, was killed when struck by an automobile on Bristol Pike, Cornwells Heights. The victim was later identified as Edward Murphy, Philadelphia.

A Morrisville lad, John Krause, Jr., aged 12 years, was rescued from a cave after a quantity of dirt buried him. The playmates of the lad summoned help, and men commenced digging at once.

31st—Police officers of Bristol and state highway patrolmen made 10 arrests for traffic violations in Bristol, in an effort to keep traffic under control while additional machines were being re-routed through Bristol, due to work of widening of the Lincoln highway.

BUSINESS